OFFICE OF THE CIRCLE INSPECTOR OF EDUCATION, MYSORE CIRCLE, MYSORE.

Tender Notification,

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the Circle Inspector of Education, Mysore Circle, Mysore, for the supply by contract of *articles of furniture and appliances* required for the use of Departmental Schools in the Circle.

2. Tenders must be superscribed "*Tender for the supply of furniture for the Departmental Schools,*" and must be accompanied by a treasury receipt for having deposited a sum of Rs. 100 (Rupees one hundred) only *as earnest money* in a Government Treasury. No cash will be received at the Circle Inspector's office, but only treasury receipts. This tender deposit of Rs. 100 will be returned immediately after the tenders are disposed of or held as part payment for the security required under clause 6.

3. Tenders will be received at the office of the Circle Inspector of Education, Mysore, till 5 P.M. on 2nd April 1923, after which date no tender will be accepted.

4. Tenders should clearly show the rates at which the different articles can be supplied at the different schools for which supplies have to be made. Size and descriptions of the articles are given below. Only *Mysore Teak, well-seasoned* should be used in manufacturing the articles. Each article supplied under contract should bear the indelible stamp of the manufacturer's name or trade mark, if any, which should be mentioned in the tender. The number of each article required is only approximate and is liable to alterations if necessary.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Circle Inspector of Education, Mysore, on Monday the 2nd April 1923, in the presence of such tenderers as may choose to attend.

6. The names of the successful tenderers will be notified in due course on the notice board of the office of the Circle Inspector of Education, Mysore and each such tenderer will be required to produce a treasury receipt for having deposited one-tenth of the value of articles to be supplied as security and to execute an agreement for the due fulfilment of the contract within one week of the acceptance of tender, in default of which, his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money forfeited.

7. The agreement will further state that the articles undertaken to be supplied by the contractor will be supplied before the 20th May 1923, failing which, a penalty of a sum not exceeding Rs. 10 a day for every day of delay after the 20th May 1923 will be levied at the discretion of the Circle Inspector of Education. In cases of serious default the security deposit be forfeited.

8. The agreement will further state that a guarantee of soundness of each article supplied will be given by the contractor concerned for a period of not less than 2 summers after the delivery of articles and that the contractor to make good all losses and damage that may be caused owing to bad material and to bad workmanship in making the articles. Half the security will be returned to him and half will be retained as security against him for this period.

9. No contract should be sublet.

10. In all matters relating to the quality and soundness of the articles supplied, the decision of the Circle Inspector of Education will be final.

11. The Circle Inspector of Education reserves to himself the right of accepting in part or wholly or of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason therefor. The earnest money deposited by those whose tenders are rejected will be authorised to be withdrawn from the treasury on refund bills in Form No. Fl. 196.

The list of articles required for the several districts is given below.

Specification and description of articles of furniture.

1. Teakwood planks 6′ x 14″ x 1″ with battens of 3″ x 2″ at ends (letters M. E. D. to be carved) and polished.
2. Teakwood benches (plain) 6′ x 1′ x '1⅓ thickness of the plank 1″ six legs of 2″ x 2″ with cross bars 1″ x 1″. Broad patti to support 2½″ x ¾″ polished.
2a. Teakwood benches (plain) 6′ x 1′ x 1½ thickness of the plank 1″ on six legs of 2″ x 2″.
3. Teakwood desk 6′ x 1′ x 10 to 12 inches square ruled on the top to go with planks for Kindergarten work polished.
4. Teakwood table 2½ x 1¾ x 2½ with 2″ legs 7/8 material for top with draw as one lever lock-polished.
5. Bug proof chairs with arms plain height of the back 3′ height in front 2′ 4″ seat 18″ x 22½″ x 1″ polished.

6. Teakwood boxes 2½′ x 1½′ x 1½′ of 1″ thickness material with ordinary hasp and staple (no lock) with batten and two wooden handles polished.
7. Teakwood almirah with glass shutters or wooden shutters 6′ x 3′ x 15″ deep over all outside measure with four shelves 5/8 material for ends and shelves with glass pennals or wooden pannels wax polished.
8. Open racks 6′ x 15″ x 3½′ with 2″ square legs with shelves polished.
9. Teakwood black-boards 5′ x 3′ x 1″ fixed on reepers with arrangements to fix on wall painted with black-board paint.
10. Teakwood black-boards 3′ x 2½′ x 7/8″ material with battens at back and rings to hang on wall painted with two coats of best black-board paint.
11. Teakwood map racks with 5 rows.
12. Map pointers 6′ x 1¼″ diameter tapering to one end.
13. Wooden trays 16″ x 10″ x 4″.
14. Show case 4′ x 2′ x 3′ polished with glass shutters.
15. Teak wood stool 1½′ x 1′ x 1½′ thickness of plank 1″ patties legs as per benches polished.

List of articles of furniture required for the several districts of Mysore Circle.

Name of articles of furniture	Number required for the several districts			
	Mysore	Hassan	Tumkur	Kadur
1. Teakwood planks	60	100	80	40
2. Do benches low	20	30	10	10
2a. Do high benches	30	70	30	20
3. Do tables	20	30	20	10
4. Bug proof chairs	20	25	15	10
5. Teakwood boxes	20	40	20	10
6. Teakwood almirah	2	4	3	2
7. Black-boards fixed	10	20	10	2
8. Black-boards	10	20	10	3
9. Map racks	50	100	20	10
10. Map pointers	50	100	30	20
11. Open racks	5	8	4	3
12. Stools	60	100	40	25
13. Show case .. — ..	2	4	2	1
14. Wooden trays	15	15	10	10
15. Desks	10	5	5	2

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MYSORE GEOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Notification No. 1513, *dated* 5—6*th March* 1923.

SALE OF MANGANESE ORE.

It is hereby notified for general information that sealed tenders will be received up to 12 noon of the 16th April 1923, at the office of the Director, Mysore Geological Department, for the purchase of *Manganese Ore* lying in stacks or heaps on certain abandoned prospecting blocks, etc., in the various parts of the State as shown in the schedule hereto appended.

2. The ore on each separate area in the statement will be taken as a lot for the purpose of the tender.

3. The quantities mentioned in the schedule in respect of the lots of ore are only approximate and this Department does not undertake to give any guarantee in regard to either the quantity or the quality of ore in any lot. It would therefore be advisable for the tenderers to ascertain the quantity and quality of the ore in the lots before submitting tenders therefor.

4. Each tender should be superscribed "Tender for the purchase of Manganese Ore lying on abandoned prospecting blocks" and should be accompanied by a treasury receipt for a sum of Rs. 50 in respect of each lot tendered for, which should be paid into a Mysore Government Treasury as earnest money. On acceptance of one of the tenders the earnest moneys in the case of the rejected tenders will be refunded.

5. Each tender should specify clearly the particular lot or lots which the tenderer wishes to purchase and the price per ton he is prepared to offer for each lot separately. A single tender may be submitted in respect of one or more lots, but a deposit of Rs. 50 should be paid, as mentioned above, for each lot proposed to be purchased.

6. The final acceptance of any tender, in whole or in part, will rest with the Government, who do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender or to assign any reasons therefor.